



RESOURCES FOR VOLUNTEERS AND STAFF SERVING VULNERABLE PEOPLE

LOCATION: Grace Community Church
1200 E. Southern Ave. (between Rural and McClintock)
From Southern, look for Dorsey Lane on the north side
of Southern. Meeting is in the **Dorsey Center**.

DATE/TIME: Tuesday, April 29th – 6:30 to 8:00pm

AGENDA

Overview of Homeless Issues in Tempe

Staff
City of Tempe Project Hope

**Safety Issues and Common Sense Guidelines
For Individuals and Groups Providing Services**

Panel

Round Table Discussions:

Food Distribution
Sheltering/Housing Individuals
Heat Respite During the Summer
Shower Programs and Clothing Distribution

**Signs and Symptoms of Heat/Dehydration Illness
And What To Do To Help**

Medical Personnel

Other Ways to Help:

Amy Schwabenlender
Valley of the Sun United Way

Become a Heat Respite Site
Conduct a Water Drive
Cook a Meal for I-HELP guests


COMMUNITY RESOURCE MATERIALS WILL BE AVAILABLE

PLEASE HELP US PLAN FOR WHO'S COMING !

Simply e-mail or call and leave a message by April 25 indicating
number attending, Faith Community or Organization and phone number.

Maryh@tempeaction.org or 480-350-5886

Convened by: City of Tempe Housing Services, Tempe Community Action
Agency, TEAM Ministries



Tempe Project Homeless Connect

A Guide for Volunteers

Thank you for volunteering for Tempe Project Homeless Connect. This project is about reaching across the bureaucratic, economic, and social boundaries that separate us from the neediest people in our community . . . simply by being good neighbors. By volunteering, you help make the project run; much more importantly, you give people the respect and dignity they deserve and do not often receive. You show that we are all connected.

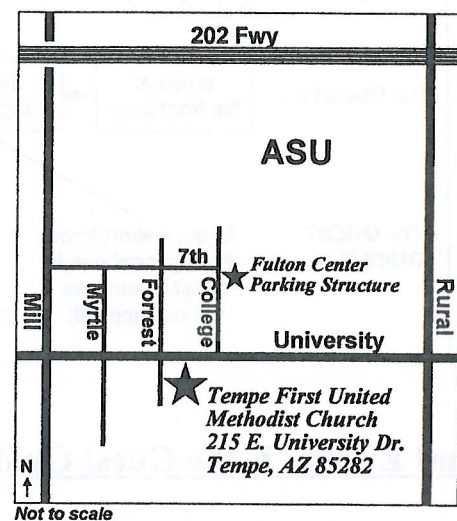
Schedule of Events

Orientation for New Volunteers: April 24, 7pm

- Tempe First United Methodist Church
- Need a refresher? All volunteers are welcome.
- If you cannot attend, don't worry—you can still be trained on the day of the event.

Main Event: April 25, 7:30am-3pm

- Tempe First United Methodist Church
- Volunteer shifts available any time.
- Lunch and drinks will be provided



Basic Information

Where to Park

- Please arrive early enough to find parking near the church (service providers need the church parking lot).
- Try Fulton Center (see map).
- Or, use City of Tempe's Orbit Bus System (see www.tempe.gov/tim).

What to Wear

- Blue volunteer t-shirt (given at orientation or check-in)
- Fanny-pack rather than purse (we cannot store belongings during event)

Whom to Contact

- Les Guffey, Volunteer Coordinator
- 480-213-9540 or guffman@wbhsi.net

How to Check In and Out

- On the church campus, go to Ross Hall (easy to locate)
- Check-in at the Volunteer Table
- Get your assignment (jobs on next page)
- Please finish with your guest before leaving
- Check out at the Volunteer Table
- Keep your T-shirt for the next event